

REMARKS

Applicants have amended claim 5 to depend from claim 1, and have amended claim 22 to depend from claim 19. In view of the foregoing amendment, it is respectfully submitted that claims 1-8 and 19-24 read on the elected Species.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0417. A duplicate copy of this Response is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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